CITY OF BELLEVUE, WASHINGTON

RESOLUTION NO. 6671

A RESOLUTION adopting the City of Bellevue Federal Legislative Agenda for the 2002 legislative session.

WHEREAS, the purpose of the city government is to provide high quality service to its citizens in the most efficient and effective manner possible; and

WHEREAS, cities in Washington are subject to federal legislative action; and

WHEREAS, the City of Bellevue believes that local government can be the most effective level of government if given the opportunity and should be given the authority to make decisions which are primarily local in nature; and

WHEREAS, the Bellevue City Council wishes to communicate its legislative priorities to the members of the United States Congress; now, therefore,

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BELLEVUE, WASHINGTON, DOES RESOLVE AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Favorable legislation by the United States Congress of the issues identified in the Federal Legislative Agenda for 2002, a copy of which has been given Clerk's Receiving No. <u>31802</u>, will enable the City of Bellevue to more effectively serve its residents. Therefore, the Federal Legislative Agenda is hereby adopted.

Section 2. The Federal Legislative Agenda for 2002 shall be conveyed to the appropriate members of the United States Congress and shall form the basis for City of Bellevue communications with federal legislators during the 2002 legislative session. The Federal Legislative Policy Statement shall be utilized by the City Council and staff in determining how to respond to other opportunities and issues, which arise in the 2002 Legislative Session.

Passed by the City Council this 4th day of March, 2002, and signed in authentication of its passage this 4th day of March, 2002.

Connie B. Marshall, Mayor

Attest:

Myrna L. Basich, City Clerk